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TO AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM PRIORITY

INFO AMEMBASSY KINSHASA PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: CASC, PINS, (SMUTS, BARBARA), (SMITH KENNETH)

(HUNTER, CARRIE JANE)

SUBJECT: KIDNAPPED AMERICANS: SHARING DEBRIEFING
INFORMATION WITH GOZ

REF: A) KINSHASA 5575; B) DAR ES SALAAM A-86 OF JUNE 12,
1975

1. DURING HIS FIRST MISSION TO KINSHASA, AMBASSADOR VANCE
PROMISED PRESIDENT MOBUTU THAT THE USG WOULD MAKE
AVAILABLE THE DEBRIEFINGS OF THE THREE AMERICAN KIDNAPPED
STUDENTS FROM THE GOMBE STREAM RESEARCH CENTER. THE
DEBRIEFING OF THE FIRST STUDENT, BARBARA SMUTS, (REF. B)
IS NOW BEING EDITED BY EMBASSY KINSHASA PRIOR TO
TRANSLATION. EMBASSY DAR IS REQUESTED TO RECLASSIFY
REF. B TO CONFIDENTIAL SO THAT IT CAN BE RELEASED TO
THE GOZ.

2. REQUEST THAT EMBASSY DAR ADVISE DEPARTMENT AND
KINSHASA OF WHEN DEBRIEFINGS OF SMITH AND HUNTER WILL BE
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